



SECRETARY OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR ACTING PRINCIPAL DEPUTY GENERAL COUNSEL

SUBJECT: Appointment as Designated Agency Ethics Official

1. Pursuant to my authority under, and in accordance with, 5 C.F.R. § 2638.202(b) and paragraph 1-400.b. of DoD 5500.7-R, the Joint Ethics Regulation, I hereby appoint the Acting Principal Deputy General Counsel of the Army Office of General Counsel to serve as the Designated Agency Ethics Official (DAEO) for the Department of the Army. This appointment is effective upon the official resignation date of the General Counsel, who is currently appointed as the DAEO, and continues until such time as a new General Counsel is appointed and a new DAEO appointment and delegation is effective.
2. In accordance with 5 C.F.R. § 2638.202(c), I hereby delegate functional authority to coordinate and manage the Army's ethics program as described at 5 C.F.R. § 2638.203.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pete Geren", is positioned above the printed name.

Pete Geren

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